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ELECTROLESS NI-B PLATING LIQUID, ELECTRONIC DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME

VERIFYING DECLARATION

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Sir:

I, Ryoji Kosugi, declare and say:

that I am thoroughly conversant in both the Japanese and English languages; that I am presently engaged as a translator in these languages;

that the attached documents represent true English translations of Japanese Patent Applications No. 2000-360807 filed November 28, 2000 and No. 2001-034428 filed February 9, 2001.

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that there statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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